INDIAN POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS DEPARTMENT.

Call for tender for the conveyance of mails between Kolar and Tavarekere.

Sealed tenders are invited for the conveyance of mails by motor vehicles daily between Kolar and Tavarekere for up and down journeys throughout the year on a fixed monthly subsidy for the period ending 30th June 1941, commencing from a date to be notified. The approximate daily mileage at present involved is 28 miles. No tenders quoting "Any remuneration deemed suitable" or words to that effect will be accepted.

2. A copy of the schedules showing full details of the services required and copies of the forms of tender (on which tenders must be made) and agreement and any further information in the matter may be obtained on application from the office of the undersigned on payment of Rs. 5 which must be credited in a post office and receipt therefor produced. This sum will not be refunded in any case.

3. All tenders must be addressed to the undersigned by name M. A. Hamid Khan, Esq., B.A., Superintendent of Post Offices, Bangalore Division, clearly marked "Tender for Kolar-Tavarekere mail contract" on the outside of the cover and must reach him on or before the *10th December* 1938 *by* 5 *p.m.*

4. Tenders will be opened by the undersigned in his office on the 12th December 1938 at 12 noon in the presence of such tenderers as may wish to be present there.

5. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason for the rejection of any tender.

(Conditions of tender for the conveyance of mails between Kolar and Tavarekere).

All tenders must be sealed and addressed to the undersigned by name "M. A. Hamid Khan, Esq., B.A., Superintendent of Post Offices, Bangalore Division," and clearly marked "Tender for Kolar-Tavarekere mail motor contract" on the outside of the cover and must reach him on or before the 10th December 1938 by 5 P.M.

2. The approximate daily mileage involved is 28 miles. A copy of the schedule showing the number, timings and other details of the service required and copies of the form of tender (on which tenders must be made) and of agreement and bond which will have to be executed by the successful tenderes are given herewith. The successful tenderer will be required to get the contract deed registered at his own cost.

3. Tenders will be opened in the office of the undersigned at 12 noon on the 12th December 1938 in the presence of such tenderers as may wish to be present there.

4. No tenders quoting "Any remuneration deemed suitable" or words to that effect will be accepted. Should a tenderer so desire he may offer to carry the mails free or mention the amount which he is prepared to pay the Department per month for the privilege of conveying mails. If a subsidy is quoted, it should be for a complete rupee or rupees and should not contain any fraction of a rupee.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by Rs. 25 in cash as deposit money which will be refunded if the tender is not accepted. Tenders without earnest money are liable to be summarily rejected. Should the selected contractor fail to take up the work by the specified date, his tender will automatically lapse and deposit money pledged by him forfeited.

6. The minimum number of motor vehicles required to be maintained by the contractor will be two. Tenderers must clearly state whether they are agreeable to maintain this number of vehicles as otherwise their tenders will not be considered.

7. Tenderers should forward with their tenders letter of evidence from the District Superintendent of Police and other concerned District authorities to the effect that the vehicles mentioned in their tender have been or will be licensed and permitted to run on the particular road or roads mentioned in the tender.

8. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason for the rejection of any tender.

M. A. HAMID KHAN,
Superintendent of Post Offices,
Bangalore Division.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE, STORES PURCHASE COMMITTEE, BANGALORE.

No. S. P. C. 12202-30, *dated 14th November* 1938.

To

The Firms dealing in Copper Sulphate.

Enquiry No. 3144.

COPPER SULPHATE.

GENTLEMEN,

The Stores Purchase Committee are now in the market for 85 tons of Copper Sulphate of best quality in fine large blue crystals 99 to 100 per cent in one cwt. and five cwt. casks wrapped in gunny bags.

N.B.—The casks should be packed well wrapped in gunnies giving no room for leakage.

The gross and net weights of each package should be distinctly mentioned.

The material to be supplied should be of the quality and standard required. To satisfy ourselves that the supply is in conformity with the standard, samples will be drawn from the supply and got tested at the Government Industrial and Testing Laboratory. The cost of such test which will be Rs. 15 per test will have to be borne by the supplying firm.